



A THREE-STATE RETROSPECTIVE CALENDAR

2026 IN THE CROCKERY VALLEY

History • heritage • pottery • museums • preservation • community traditions

CORRECTED
SECOND EDITION

Completed events + announced future events
through December

Supersedes the archived First Working Edition

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What this working record shows

A corrected retrospective record, not a claim of absolute completeness.

68 qualifying events or public program series	11 named valley places represented	13 of 57 dated traces with 14 days' lead or less	54 / 10 / 4 Ohio / West Virginia / Pennsylvania entries
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Coverage

The search crossed East Liverpool, Wellsville, Beaver Creek State Park and surrounding Ohio communities; Chester, Newell, New Cumberland and Tomlinson Run in West Virginia; and Midland, Hookstown and nearby Beaver in Pennsylvania. Nearby entries were retained only when tied clearly to the valley's shared heritage.

How to read the timing

"Earliest recovered public trace" is the oldest dated item found in this research—not a claim that it was the first post or the start of a campaign. Component announcements and incomplete save-the-dates are labeled. Undated organizer pages are reported as "verified visible by" the inspection date. A same-day trace does not establish whether the notice preceded the event's start time.

Second-edition boundary

This edition corrects source interpretation, dates, names and omissions identified in the first working edition. It does not attempt to add every newly discoverable nature program or ordinary entertainment item; it keeps the original heritage-focused selection rule so the comparison remains meaningful.

Important limitation

"Not recovered" never means "not posted." Image-only flyers, edited posts, private groups, email and offline networks can disappear from the public record. Gaps show documentation and discoverability limits, not inactivity.

The Valley Had Events. It Didn't Have a Calendar.

The combined record shows an active year whose notices were distributed among organizer Facebook pages, public groups, newspaper briefs, tourism calendars and standalone websites. The second pass pushed several earliest documented dates earlier and filled the apparent early-year gap with a six-part America 250 student workshop series announced in one December 2025 article.

Authority mattered as much as timing. The Wellsville Historical Society carried July 19 for its John Hancock portrayal and later corrected a July 9 newspaper error. The Museum of Ceramics' own page fixed the Halloween clay workshop at October 16, while a downstream tourism page retained October 9. A useful shared calendar therefore needs an organizer-linked record and a visible change log, not merely copied listings.

No channel won consistently. Facebook often held the most conversational and repeated promotion. Tourism roundups sometimes offered the longest regional planning horizon. Newspapers supplied durable, dated notices and, in several cases, the earliest recovered trace. Yet none covered all three sides of the river.

The practical lesson is infrastructural: a shared calendar should act as a switchboard. It needs enough verified information for planning, while registration, membership, donations, discussion and continuing updates lead back to the originating organization. Build a constituency, not an inventory of eyeballs; never sell community data.

Timing observations

Observation	What changed
Student workshops	A Dec. 29, 2025 article announced all six dates. Lead time rose from 12 days for January to 173 days for June.
Short-notice share	13 of 57 entries with recoverable dates—23%—had 14 days' lead or less.
Official vs downstream	Official sources corrected John Hancock, Pioneer Day and the Oct. 16 clay workshop; third-party listings carried errors or stale dates.
Partial traces	The Apr. 3 Riverfest item promoted its 5K component, not the complete festival program.
Publication uncertainty	Future museum pages had no publication timestamps, so this edition reports "visible by Sep. 16" and a minimum lead.

Year at a glance

Entries are grouped by the month in which they began. Recurring series count once.

Month	Entries	Documented record
January	1	America 250 Student Workshop
February	1	America 250 Student Workshop
March	1	America 250 Student Workshop
April	3	Printing Freedom: From Boston to Fawcettstown; Sandy & Beaver Canal presentation and display; America 250 Student Workshop
May	7	Village Comes Alive — first Saturdays; 250 Years of Birds in America; Ceramic Garden Labels Workshop; David Neer: Fiesta design lecture; America 250 Student Workshop; Bigfoot Festival; Clay Bird's Nest Workshop
June	8	Fiesta Outdoor Tent Sale — 90th anniversary; Clay Academy; Trivia Night at the Museum; Clay Bird Feeder Workshop; Free Fishing Days; America 250 Student Workshop; Harriet Tubman portrayal; Homer Laughlin China Company lecture
July	10	All-Midland Area Reunion Historical Exhibit; Hometown Fourth of July; River Museum selected Sunday openings; Wood Carving Demonstration; Walker Music Series; America 250 & Revolutionary Patriots Memorial; Pre-1840 Encampment; Trivia Night at the Museum; John Hancock portrayal; 55th Tri-State Pottery Festival
August	12	Flint Knapping & Arrowhead Making; Newell Fun Day & Water Parade; Civil War program with Tim Brookes; World's Largest Teapot Day; West Virginia Derby; Trivia Night at the Museum; Ceramic Board Game Workshop; Featured Ceramic Artist workshop; Sojourner Truth portrayal; Hookstown Fair; Pre-1840 Artifact Display & Discussion; The Sandy & Beaver Canal — Doug Bacso
September	11	Trivia Night at the Museum; Northwest Ordinance lecture series opener; Six-week pottery throwing class; Geology Road Show; Geology of Little Beaver Creek; Fort McIntosh Days; A Taste of Colonial America; Final buckwheat pancake breakfast; Fall Riverfest; Jacob Shenkel and the Civil War — Timothy Brookes; South Side School Alumni Reunion
October	9	Fiesta Outdoor Tent Sale — fall edition; Archery Knowledge; Pioneer Day — 50th anniversary; Build a Bird Feeder; Trivia Night at the Museum; Northwest Ordinance: Fort Steuben; Fall/Halloween Clay Workshop; City Waltz Fundraiser; Northwest Ordinance: Indigenous Ohio Country
November	3	Trivia Night at the Museum; Northwest Ordinance: surveying the territory; Christmas Tree Clay Workshop
December	2	Trivia Night at the Museum; Walker Music Series holiday performance

JANUARY

1 documented entry • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Jan 10

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth

America 250 Student Workshop

Free history lesson, craft, games and snacks for grades 3–8 at the Upper Ohio Valley Museum and Learning Center.

Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 12 days before

FEBRUARY

1 documented entry • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Feb 21

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth

America 250 Student Workshop

Second free monthly history-and-activity workshop in the six-part student series.

Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 54 days before

MARCH

1 documented entry • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Mar 21

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth
America 250 Student Workshop

Third free monthly workshop for grades 3-8.
Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 82 days before

APRIL

3 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

**Apr 7-Dec
31**

OH East Liverpool • Temporary exhibition

Printing Freedom: From Boston to Fawcettstown

Museum of Ceramics exhibition of printed historical documents for the America 250 year.

Earliest recovered trace: Same-day public trace located

Apr 17

OH East Liverpool • Transportation history

Sandy & Beaver Canal presentation and display

Museum program on the valley canal system.

Earliest recovered trace: Same-day public trace located

Apr 18

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth

America 250 Student Workshop

Fourth free monthly workshop for grades 3-8.

Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 110 days before

MAY

7 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

**May 2-Oct
3**

OH Beaver Creek State Park • Living history / mill heritage

Village Comes Alive — first Saturdays

Monthly first-Saturday series in Pioneer Village, including restored-mill and traditional-craft interpretation.

Earliest recovered trace: Apr 29 • 3 days before first occurrence

May 3

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Natural history

250 Years of Birds in America

Birding Bonanza program connecting American history and bird life.

Earliest recovered trace: Mar 9 • 55 days before

May 15

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Ceramic Garden Labels Workshop

Hands-on Museum of Ceramics workshop creating clay garden markers.

Earliest recovered trace: May 12 • 3 days before

May 16

OH East Liverpool • Ceramics / design

David Neer: Fiesta design lecture

The Fiesta senior product designer spoke at the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Correct-name newspaper notice May 14 • 2 days before

May 16

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth

America 250 Student Workshop

Fifth free monthly workshop for grades 3–8.

Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 138 days before

May 17

OH Beaver Creek State Park • Community / park tradition

Bigfoot Festival

Annual public festival paired with a Friends of Beaver Creek pancake breakfast.

Earliest recovered trace: Organizer Facebook Mar 1 • 77 days before

May 29

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Clay Bird's Nest Workshop

Hands-on Museum of Ceramics workshop with Barbara Schmidt.

Earliest recovered trace: May 26 • 3 days before

JUNE

8 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Jun 2-7

WV Newell • Industrial heritage

Fiesta Outdoor Tent Sale — 90th anniversary

Promoted event envelope was Jun 2-7; published visitor shopping hours were Jun 4-6, 8:30-6, and Jun 7, 8:30-3.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook May 19 • 14 days before promoted start

Jun 8-12

OH East Liverpool • Ceramic education

Clay Academy

Week of youth clay instruction at the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

Jun 9

OH East Liverpool • Museum program

Trivia Night at the Museum

Community trivia program inside the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: May 26 • 14 days before

Jun 12

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Clay Bird Feeder Workshop

Hand-building workshop with Lisa Zimmerman.

Earliest recovered trace: May 26 • 17 days before

Jun 13-14

WV Tomlinson Run State Park • Natural heritage / tradition

Free Fishing Days

Recurring state-park tradition included in the regional festival roundup.

Earliest recovered trace: Apr 25 • 49 days before; statewide trace

Jun 20

OH East Liverpool • Public history / youth

America 250 Student Workshop

Sixth and final free monthly workshop for grades 3-8.

Earliest recovered trace: Series announced Dec 29, 2025 • 173 days before

Jun 21

OH Wellsville • Living history

Harriet Tubman portrayal

Eddie Murphy portrayed Harriet Tubman at the River Museum.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Jun 6 • 15 days; newspaper Jun 13 • 8 days

Jun 27

OH East Liverpool • Pottery history

Homer Laughlin China Company lecture

Mark Gonzalez traced the company from 1871, historic wares and production methods.

Earliest recovered trace: May 26 • 32 days before

JULY

10 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Jul 3-5

PA Midland • Industrial / community history

All-Midland Area Reunion Historical Exhibit

Free exhibit of photographs, film and community memory at Lincoln Park.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Mar 29 • 96 days before

Jul 4

WV Chester • Community tradition

Hometown Fourth of July

Food, music and the city's Independence Day gathering.

Earliest recovered trace: Tourism May 27 • 38 days before

**Jul 5, 12,
19, 26; Aug
2, 16**

OH Wellsville • Local history museum

River Museum selected Sunday openings

Open 1-4:30 p.m. on the six listed Sundays; Aug 9 was not in the recovered schedule.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Jun 18 • 17 days before first opening

Jul 5

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Traditional craft / natural heritage

Wood Carving Demonstration

Public demonstration of wood carving.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Jun 16 • 19 days before

Jul 10

OH East Liverpool • Museum cultural program

Walker Music Series

Summer music program at the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

Jul 11

OH East Liverpool • Public history / commemoration

America 250 & Revolutionary Patriots Memorial

Monument unveiling, Point of Beginning remarks, lecture, history race, quilt show and museum activities.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Apr 19 • 83 days; public date trace May 18 • 54 days

Jul 13-18

WV New Manchester / Tomlinson Run • Living history

Pre-1840 Encampment

Full encampment span; recovered notices did not establish that every day carried identical public access.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook May 24 • 50 days before

Jul 14

OH East Liverpool • Museum program

Trivia Night at the Museum

Monthly community program at the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

JULY — CONTINUED

10 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Jul 19

OH Wellsville • Living history

John Hancock portrayal

William Johnson portrayed John Hancock at the River Museum.

Earliest recovered trace: Organizer Jun 6 • 43 days; newspaper Jun 18 • 31 days

Jul 25

OH East Liverpool • Pottery / community heritage

55th Tri-State Pottery Festival

One-day 2026 festival celebrating the city's pottery identity.

Earliest recovered trace: Organizer flyer May 22 • 64 days before

AUGUST

12 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Aug 1	OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Archaeology / traditional skill Flint Knapping & Arrowhead Making Public demonstration of stone-tool making. Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered
Aug 1	WV Newell • Community tradition Newell Fun Day & Water Parade 5K, family activities, music and the town's water parade. Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Nov 22, 2025 • 252 days before
Aug 2	OH Wellsville • Local / Civil War history Civil War program with Tim Brookes Public program at the River Museum. Earliest recovered trace: Event-specific Facebook Jul 22 • 11 days; newspaper Jul 28 • 5 days
Aug 8	WV Chester • Landmark / pottery heritage World's Largest Teapot Day Annual gathering around Chester's landmark, with music and vendors supporting its upkeep. Earliest recovered trace: Tourism May 27 • 73 days before
Aug 9	WV Chester • Long-running regional tradition West Virginia Derby Annual thoroughbred-racing tradition at Mountaineer. Earliest recovered trace: Official Facebook May 20 • 81 days before
Aug 11	OH East Liverpool • Museum program Trivia Night at the Museum Monthly Museum of Ceramics community program. Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered
Aug 14	OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition Ceramic Board Game Workshop Hands-on clay workshop at the Museum of Ceramics. Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered
Aug 19	OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition Featured Ceramic Artist workshop Audra Clayton led a vessel workshop using the broomstick method. Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered
Aug 24	OH East Liverpool • Living history Sojourner Truth portrayal Eddie Murphy portrayed Sojourner Truth at Carnegie Public Library at 6 p.m. Earliest recovered trace: Official library Facebook Aug 18 • 6 days before

AUGUST — CONTINUED

12 documented entries • Completed events; timing uses the earliest dated trace recovered.

Aug 25-29

PA Hookstown • Agricultural / community heritage

Hookstown Fair

Fair exhibits, pulls and traditional programming.

Earliest recovered trace: Detailed arena schedule Feb 26 • 180 days before

Aug 29

WV Tomlinson Run State Park • Living history

Pre-1840 Artifact Display & Discussion

Public artifact program at the campground pavilion.

Earliest recovered trace: Tourism calendar Aug 25 • 4 days before

Aug 29

OH East Liverpool • Transportation history

The Sandy & Beaver Canal — Doug Bacso

Museum talk drawing on decades of research into the 73-mile canal system.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

SEPTEMBER

11 documented entries • Includes events still ahead as of September 17; verify before traveling.

Sep 8

OH East Liverpool • Museum program

Trivia Night at the Museum

Monthly Museum of Ceramics community program.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

Sep 17

OH East Liverpool • Regional / settlement history

Northwest Ordinance lecture series opener

Timothy G. Anderson replaced Simon Winchester two days before the 6–7 p.m. program because of surgery.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Jul 6 • 73 days before

**Sep 17-Oct
22**

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Six-week pottery throwing class

Lisa Zimmerman led a six-week Museum of Ceramics class.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Sep 1 • 16 days before

Sep 19

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Natural history

Geology Road Show

Public geology identification and interpretation program.

Earliest recovered trace: Full schedule Aug 18 • 32 days before

Sep 19

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Natural history

Geology of Little Beaver Creek

Program on the geology that shaped Little Beaver Creek and the valley.

Earliest recovered trace: Full schedule Aug 18 • 32 days before

Sep 19-20

PA Beaver • Regional living history

Fort McIntosh Days

Free two-day living-history program, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., on River Road. Included as a nearby event tied to shared regional history.

Earliest recovered trace: Two-day expansion promoted Sep 16 • provisional 3-day trace

Sep 20

OH East Liverpool • Foodways / settlement history

A Taste of Colonial America

Colonial foods, flavors and traditions, with samples, free admission and access to both museums.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Aug 28 • 23 days; newspaper Sep 2 • 18 days

Sep 20

OH Beaver Creek State Park • Community tradition / preservation

Final buckwheat pancake breakfast

Friends of Beaver Creek's final seasonal breakfast supporting Pioneer Village.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Aug 25 • 26 days before

Sep 26-27

WV New Cumberland • River / community tradition

Fall Riverfest

Annual riverfront festival with vendors, car show, music and fireworks.

Earliest recovered trace: Apr 3 trace was 5K component • 176 days before

SEPTEMBER — CONTINUED

11 documented entries • Includes events still ahead as of September 17; verify before traveling.

Sep 26	OH East Liverpool • Local / Civil War history Jacob Shenkel and the Civil War — Timothy Brookes Museum talk centered on an East Liverpool man who joined the Pennsylvania 62nd Infantry. Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Sep 8 • 18 days before
Sep 26	PA Hookstown • School / community memory South Side School Alumni Reunion Classes of 1957–1996 gathered at the Hookstown Fairgrounds. Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Sep 21, 2025 • 370 days before

OCTOBER

9 documented entries • Includes events still ahead as of September 17; verify before traveling.

Oct 1-4

WV Newell • Industrial heritage

Fiesta Outdoor Tent Sale — fall edition

Second 90th-anniversary factory-outlet event of 2026.

Earliest recovered trace: Tourism May 27 • 127 days before

Oct 3

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Traditional outdoor skill

Archery Knowledge

Public natural-heritage program.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

Oct 3

OH Beaver Creek State Park • Living history / craft heritage

Pioneer Day — 50th anniversary

One-day public program, 10 a.m.–5 p.m., with demonstrations, vendors and historical organizations.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Aug 20 • 44 days before

Oct 4

OH Beaver Creek Wildlife Education Center • Natural heritage / traditional skill

Build a Bird Feeder

Hands-on public program.

Earliest recovered trace: Dated publication trace not recovered

Oct 13

OH East Liverpool • Museum program

Trivia Night at the Museum

Monthly Museum of Ceramics community program.

Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 27 days

Oct 15

OH East Liverpool • Regional / settlement history

Northwest Ordinance: Fort Steuben

Paul Zuros program, 6–7 p.m., free; Passport required.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Aug 28 • 48 days before

Oct 16

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Fall/Halloween Clay Workshop

Official Museum of Ceramics workshop, 5–8 p.m.; \$25; 20 spots; registration by phone.

Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 30 days

Oct 17

OH East Liverpool • Museum benefit / cultural heritage

City Waltz Fundraiser

Dinner, dance and Pittsburgh Ensemble performance, 5–8 p.m., supporting the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Facebook Apr 18 • 182 days before

Oct 29

OH East Liverpool • Indigenous / regional history

Northwest Ordinance: Indigenous Ohio Country

Alan Fitzpatrick program, 6–7 p.m., free; Passport required.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Aug 28 • 62 days before

NOVEMBER

3 documented entries • Includes events still ahead as of September 17; verify before traveling.

Nov 10

OH East Liverpool • Museum program

Trivia Night at the Museum

Monthly Museum of Ceramics community program.

Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 55 days

Nov 12

OH East Liverpool • Surveying / regional history

Northwest Ordinance: surveying the territory

Joseph D. Fenicle program, 6–7 p.m., free; Passport required.

Earliest recovered trace: Newspaper Aug 28 • 76 days before

Nov 13

OH East Liverpool • Living ceramic tradition

Christmas Tree Clay Workshop

Holiday clay workshop at the Museum of Ceramics.

Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 58 days

DECEMBER

2 documented entries • Includes events still ahead as of September 17; verify before traveling.

Dec 8	OH East Liverpool • Museum program Trivia Night at the Museum Monthly Museum of Ceramics community program. Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 83 days
Dec 11	OH East Liverpool • Museum cultural program Walker Music Series holiday performance Holiday program with David Kelly, Pat Will, Beth Weir and Phillip Kelly. Earliest recovered trace: Verified visible by Sep 16 • at least 86 days

What the announcement trail tells us

The timing table is an editorial diagnostic, not an attendance or reach measure.

Earliest recovered lead	Entries	Interpretation
0-7 days	9	Very difficult for visitors or families to plan
8-14 days	4	Still short for an out-of-town trip
15-30 days	10	Usable for many local plans
31-60 days	13	Reasonable regional planning window
61+ days	21	Strong advance notice
Date unrecoverable	11	Event survived online; publication timing did not

The most consequential timing findings

Six dates from one early notice. The America 250 student series demonstrates the value of publishing a season at once: one Dec. 29 article supported planning from January through June.

Late does not mean invisible. The May 17 Bigfoot campaign began 77 days out, while the located newspaper calendar appeared two days out. Conversely, tourism beat Facebook for several regional events.

Component notice is not full-program notice. Riverfest’s 176-day figure belongs to its 5K component. Fort McIntosh Days’ three-day figure is provisional because the Sep. 16 item promoted the new two-day expansion and may not have been the first event notice.

Known-by is not published-on. The Sep. 16 inspection of future Museum of Ceramics pages supplies only a minimum lead time because the pages lacked publication timestamps.

Corrections made in the Second Edition

The First Working Edition remains archived as a historical snapshot. This edition supersedes it for reference.

Record	Correction
America 250 workshops	Added Mar. 21, Apr. 18, May 16 and Jun. 20; replaced late individual traces with the Dec. 29, 2025 series announcement.
Picnic Tablescapes	Removed the May 3 card. The recovered item described a July 26, 2025 program and did not support a 2026 event.
David Neer	Used the May 14 correct-name notice: two days' lead. An earlier notice named the wrong presenter.
River Museum Sundays	Printed the six exact dates: Jul. 5, 12, 19, 26 and Aug. 2, 16; Aug. 9 was not listed.
Civil War / Sojourner Truth	Replaced non-event-specific or same-day traces with event-specific Jul. 22 and official Aug. 18 notices.
Geology programs	Recovered the full schedule published Aug. 18: 32 days' lead for both Sep. 19 programs.
Taste of Colonial America	Used Sep. 2 newspaper trace and removed the unsupported Point of Beginning description.
Village Comes Alive	Represented the May–October first-Saturday run as one recurring series, not only its Sep. 5 occurrence.
Pioneer Day	Corrected to singular, one-day Sat. Oct. 3, 10–5. The apparent Oct. 4 conflict was a stale 2025 page.
Halloween clay workshop	Used the official Oct. 16, 5–8 p.m. listing; flagged the downstream Oct. 9 tourism date as stale.
Fort McIntosh Days	Added the Sep. 19–20 regional living-history event as a nearby Pennsylvania entry, with provisional timing.

Practical standard for a future calendar

Publish known annual dates 6–12 months ahead; publish firm listings at least 60–90 days ahead; require organizers to confirm or correct listings; show a visible “last verified” date; preserve a change log; and send readers back to organizers for registration and continuing updates.

Those windows are a proposed editorial policy—not thresholds derived from this 68-entry sample. The record simply shows what residents could recover publicly and how much lead time remained.

Source and stewardship note

This edition drew on organizer pages, official calendars, public Facebook pages and groups, newspaper community pages, tourism calendars and partner listings. Public timing was compared across sources; audience reach was not estimated. Mutable follower, reaction and share totals were omitted because they are snapshots rather than stable delivery measures.

A one-to-one May 30 message established that a sender and recipient knew a September date, but it was not counted as public promotion. Future pages without timestamps were treated as visible by the inspection date, not published on that date.

Selected correction sources

America 250 workshop series: reviewonline.com/news/community-news/2025/12/upper-ohio-valley-museum-and-learning-center-at-the-lou-holtz-hall-of-fame-to-host-workshops-each-month/

River Museum selected Sundays: reviewonline.com/news/community-news/2026/06/community-briefs-6/

Wood carving schedule: morningjournalnews.com/news/local-news/2026/06/july-events-at-the-beaver-creek-wildlife-education-center/

September geology schedule:

salemnews.net/news/neighborhood-news/2026/08/september-and-october-events-at-beaver-creek-wildlife-education-center/

Northwest Ordinance series:

reviewonline.com/news/community-news/2026/09/dr-timothy-g-anderson-to-open-northwest-ordinance-lecture-series/

Official Halloween workshop: themuseumofceramics.com/calendar/clay-workshop-hgpa7-clw42-7rb3b-c64kk

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